



Inspection Report

THE MANNHEIMER FOUNDATION INC

Customer ID: 868

Certificate: 58-R-0021

Site: 001

(b)(2)High, (b)(7)f

20255 SW 360 ST.

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

HOMESTEAD, FL 33034

Date: Sep-05-2008

3.75 (a)

HOUSING FACILITIES, GENERAL.

a) Structure: construction. Housing facilities for nonhuman primates must be designed and constructed so that they are structurally sound for the species of nonhuman primates housed in them. They must be kept in good repair, and they must protect the animals from injury, contain the animals securely, and restrict other animals from entering.

A section of corral 3, currently housing baboons, is missing at least 2 large vertical pole braces used to reinforce the metal panels at the top of the corral. These braces are especially important during high wind events to keep the metal panels intact and the animals contained.

These braces should be repaired or replaced immediately as a high wind event in this area may be imminent.

Correct by: September 8, 2008.

3.75 (c)

HOUSING FACILITIES, GENERAL.

(c) Surfaces

(i) General requirements. Any surfaces that come in contact with nonhuman primates must:

(i) Be free of excessive rust that prevents the required cleaning and sanitization, or that affects the structural strength of the surface; and

(ii) Be free of jagged edges or sharp points that might injure the animals

*The secondary containment areas of field cages 3, 6b, 7a, 12 and corral 4 have metal panels with excessively rusted areas that have created significant holes in the panels.

*Cage 11-22 has significant rust on the enclosure chain link on the upper north side of the enclosure. A piece of wire

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has broken off and is missing in this area. The chain link could unravel in this area and compromise containment of the animals.

*Cage 11-4 has a large horizontal metal support pipe which is excessively rusted with a resulting hole in the northeast corner. Jagged and sharp edges were visible and easily accessible to the animals in the enclosure.

*Cages 11-1, 11-2 and 11-9 have chain link which is excessively rusted and flaking near the tops of the enclosure. A piece of rusted chain link on the south side of cage 11-9 near the top was noted to be very thin and compromised.

The above documented surfaces must be repaired or replaced. Structural integrity of some enclosures has been compromised by excessive rust and/or also resulted in jagged edges which could cause animal injury.

Correct by: September 19, 2008

This inspection was conducted over a 2 day period September 4 & 5, 2008.

The inspection included all animals, facilities, IACUC function, documentation and protocol review.

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HOUSING FACILITIES, GENERAL.

(c) Surfaces

(1) General requirements. Any surfaces that come in contact with nonhuman primates must:

(i) Be free of excessive rust that prevents the required cleaning and sanitization, or that affects the structural strength of the surface;

At least 4 primary enclosures currently housing macaques, cages 1, 3, 4 and 10, in section 18 have chain link surfaces at the top and front which are excessively rusted. The metal surfaces are peeling and flaking in some rusted areas. Structural integrity of the fencing was noted to be compromised in at least one area where wire could potentially easily break.

Primary enclosures in section 30 were noted to have excessive rust with resulting flaking and peeling of the metal surfaces. The affected surfaces were primarily near the top and front of the enclosures.

Primary enclosures in section 32 were noted to have excessive rust. The affected surfaces were primarily near the top and front of the enclosures.

At least 2 primary enclosures currently housing macaques, cages 4 and 5 in section 19 have chain link surfaces with excessive rust concentrated near the top and front of the enclosures.

Excessive rust prevents appropriate sanitation which could adversely affect animal health, but more importantly, the noted compromise of structural integrity of the enclosures is a more immediate animal containment concern.

These excessively rusted surfaces should be repaired or replaced.

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